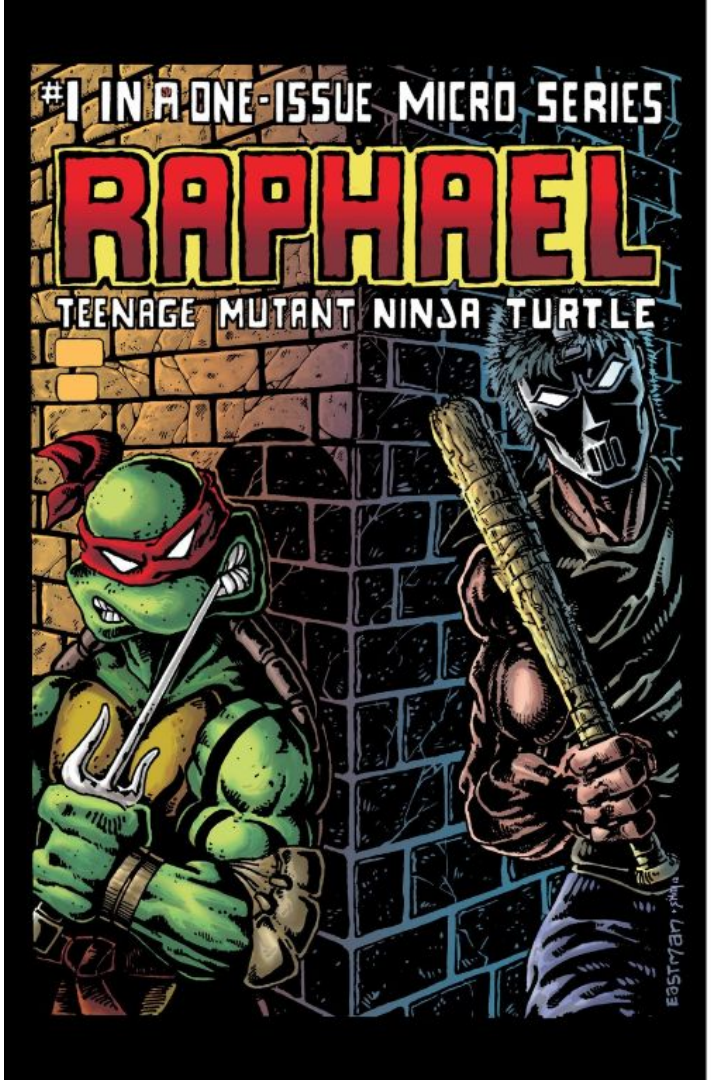

#1 IN A ONE-ISSUE MICRO SERIES
RAPHAEL
TEENAGE MUTANT NINJA TURTLE
EASTMAN

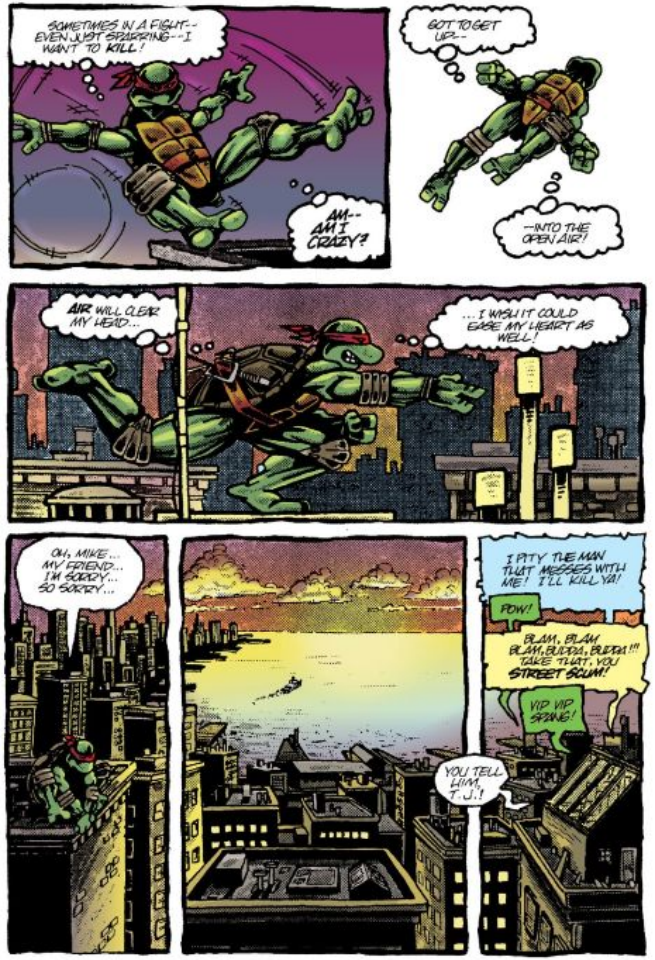
HAH! GOOD FALL, RAPHAEL!
WHAM!
RAPHAEL, TEENAGE MUTANT NINJA TURTLE IN:
YOU'VE HAD IT, MIKE!
FRIEND OR NO, YOU'VE GOT TO GO!
ME, MYSELF, AND I
BY KEVIN B. EASTMAN AND PETER A. LAIRD

YAAA--!
HMM... GOOD REVERSE PUNCH!
HA!
NICE ROUNDHOUSE KICK, TOO, RAPHAEL--
--NOT A BAD DRAGON PUNCH EITHER!
CRAK!
BUT YOU SET YOURSELF UP FOR THIS--
--AND THIS-- HUH?
WAP!
GRRARRR!

THAT-- THAT WAS A LUCKY PUNCH, MIKE!
SMAK
YOW!
YOU THINK YOU'RE SO GOOD--
RAPH! OOF
FUDD
--BUT YOU CAN'T BEAT ME!
BAP
NOT NOW--
--NOT EVER!
OH REALLY?
YOU'RE TOO COCKY, RAPH!
SMASH
PRIDE GOETH BEFORE A FALL, BUDDY...!
SNAP
CRUNCH
ARR.. GRRR!
SNAP

RRR--
NO!!
NO-- Y-YOU-- CHEATED!
WE'VE GOT TO SOUND-PROOF THIS CELLAR--
YEAH... I'D BETTER QUIET THOSE GUYS DOWN BEFORE --HEY!
YOU DIDN'T BEAT ME!!!
HEY, RAPH- COOL IT! IT'S JUST PRACTICE!
RAPHAEL, DON'T!
WHAT DO--
--YOU THINK--
--YOU'RE DOING!!?

RAPHAEL -- HAVE YOU LOST YOUR MIND?!
I--LEO-- MIKE--I--
YOU COULD HAVE KILLED MIKE IF YOU'D HIT HIM WITH THIS!
RAPHAEL, WE'RE ALL TENSE -- SPLINTER'S GONE, WE'RE LIVING IN A STRANGE NEW PLACE -- BUT YOU CAN'T FLY OFF THE HANDLE LIKE THAT!
LEO-- I--I--
NOW GET OUT OF HERE AND COOL OFF!
GO!
LEO-- DID YOU SEE HIS EYES?
WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME?!
MIKE'S MY BEST PAL!
WHAT HAPPENED TO ME BACK THERE?
SEEMED LIKE EVERYTHING WENT BLANK--
--ALL I COULD FEEL WAS INTENSE ANGER!!!
TWANG!


SOMETIMES IN A FIGHT-- EVEN JUST SPARRING--I WANT TO KILL!
AM-- AM I CRAZY?
GOT TO GET UP--
--INTO THE OPEN AIR!
AIR WILL CLEAR MY HEAD...
...I WISH IT COULD ERASE MY HEART AS WELL!
OH, MIKE... MY FRIEND... I'M SORRY... SO SORRY...
I PITY THE MAN THAT MESSES WITH ME! I'LL KILL YA!
POW!
BLAM, BLAM, BLAM, BLOOEY, BLOOEY!!! TAKE THAT, YOU STREET SCUM!
VIP VIP SPANG!
YOU TELL HIM, T-J.!

SHUT UP OR I'LL BLOW YOUR HEAD OFF!
BLAM!
YEAH, DO IT!
WELL, DO YOU FEEL LUCKY, PUNK?!
LOOK HE'S RUNNING! SHOOT 'EM!
BA-DOW!!
OFF 'EM! HA, HA, HA HA!
GANGS, THEFS, MUGGERS, MAKE MY SKIN CRAWL! I WANT THEM OFF THE STREETS! BLAM, BLAM, BLAT BOOM!
GEEZ...THOSE GUYS HAVE THE RIGHT IDEA. GET THE SCUM AND DIRTBALLS OFF THE STREETS! BUT THERE'S SO MUCH SCUM...
...AND SO FEW OF US GOOD GUYS!
THE COPS CAN'T HANDLE IT-- THEY NEED HELP!
MY HELP!
TO DEFEND THE CITIZENS OF THIS FAIR CITY FROM THE VILE SCUM THAT SNEAKS ABOUT MY CITY!
YEAH, THE CITY... MY CITY, HOME OF: CASEY JONES!
IT'S A TOUGH JOB, BUT SOMEONES GOTTA DO IT!

HEE, HEE HEE, HEE!
A FEW HOURS LATER...
EH?
GIVE US THE BAG, MOMMA--
HERE!
DON'T HURT ME!
HEY, DON'T SWEAT IT FOX! YOU BE NICE TO US...
...WE BE REAL NICE TO Y--!
HUH?
UT-OH!
BAP
HEY-- A CRIME!
FUMP
AND A FELLOW FUNNY-LOOKING GREEN CRIME-FIGHTING, DE-FENDER OF JUSTICE!
HEY, WAIT-- HE'S LETTING THEM GO!
GO ON, GIT!
HERE'S YOUR PURSE MATH...
GET AWAY!

YOU'VE STOLEN YOUR LAST PURSE, DOG BREATH!
HUH? IF THOSE THUGS HAVE SCUFFED SOMEONE ELSE, I'LL...
TASTE HARDWOOD, ARMPIT!!!
-UCK!
WHAP
WOW!
HEY-- HE'S NOT LETTING UP! HE'S NOT JUST STOPPING THOSE PUNKS-- HE'S GONNA KILL 'EM!!!
I'LL GET YOU HAIRBALLS OFF THE STREETS!
LOOKS LIKE THEY PICKED ON THE WRONG GUY!
FEEL THE BAT OF DOOM, CREEPS!
BASH
NO-- NO-- AGH!
HEY!
COOL IT, PAL!
HUH?

I'LL COOL YOU OUT TOO, PUNK--!
EH?-- THE LITTLE GREEN FREAK! WHAT ARE YOU, ANYWAY?
WHEY-- WATCH IT--!
OW!
I DON'T WANT TO FIGHT YOU--
...SO I'LL JUST TAKE THOSE BATS AWAY FROM YOU!
YEAH? BIG DEAL, YOU FREAKIN SCUM! I GOT MORE WHERE THOSE CAME FROM!
SO DO I!!!
REMEMBER-- YOU STARTED THIS--
YAH!
--BUT I'LL FINISH IT! HAI!

YOU AND WHAT ARMY, ZIPHEAD?!
BLAP
GURK!
FOR A -- NUT CASE -- YOU'RE -- PRETTY GOOD -- WITH THAT HOCKEY STICK!
UNH!-- OK... OK... I GIVE UP-- YOU WIN--
...ALMOST, BUT NOT QUITE!
I...2...3...
ALMOST GOOD ENOUGH TO TAKE ME OUT!
UGG!
WUMP

FORE!!
HA, HA, HA, HA! ANOTHER ONE BITES THE DUST!
LOOK OUT, SCUM--! CASEY'S COMIN'!
OOOOOOHH!

OOHHH, MAN...
...THAT HURT! OW... NOW I GOTTA FIND THAT GUY-- HE'S NUTS!
I GOTTA STOP HIM BEFORE HE KILLS SOMEBODY! HE THINKS HE'S SOME KIND OF SUPERHERO--
...OUT TO SAVE THE WORLD FROM STREET CRIMINALS!
BUT HE'S REALLY JUST A LUNATIC VIGILANTE ON A RAMPAGE!
AND HE'S GOT A GOOD HEADSTART ON ME...
...HOW WILL I FIND HIM?
HOW?

I LOVE NEW YORK!
ESPECIALLY IN THE EVENING--

--CUZ THAT'S WHEN THE GOOD CITIZENS HIDE IN THEIR HOUSES--
--AND THE SLIMEBALLS SPILL OUT INTO THE STREETS!
HEH?
SMASH!

I KNEW IT WAS ONLY A MATTER OF TIME--
USED CARS
YO, FRANKIE-- HURRY IT UP, MAN!
EH, CHILL OUT BRO-- JUST ONE MORE WIRE TO CUT--
--JACKPOT!!!

HOWDY, BOYS! NICE NIGHT, HUH?
THUMP!
GOOD NIGHT FOR HUNTIN'--
SKRP

--AN' MY PREY RUNS IN PACKS!
CRAK
UNGH--!
HA, HA, HA ONE DOWN--
JEEZ-- TH' GUY'S LOCO!
I'M SPLIT-TIN'--!
--ONE TO GO!

STRIKE THREE, TURKEY-- YOU'RE OUT!
WHAP!
OW!
SMAP!

MEAN WHILE...
I LOST HIS TRAIL AGAIN... MAYBE HE'S HIDING IN THAT PARK--
UNNH... NO, PLEASE--!
HUH--?
DON'T HIT ME AGAIN--!
AW-- POOR BABY! DOES YOUR POOR WIDDLE LEG HAVE A BOO-BOO?
YOU-- YOU BROKE IT, MAN! M-MY LEG IS BUSTED!
THAT'S JUST THE BEGINNING, SLIME! WHEN CASEY GETS DONE WITH YOU--
OH, NO--
--YOUR WHOLE BODY'S GONNA BE BUSTED!
SEE YOU IN THE NEXT LIFE, DUNG-BALL!
WRONG, YO-YO--
WHAT--! AGH!
I'M STOPPING YOU RIGHT HERE--

FHOOF!
WUMP
AKK!
SMAK!
--AND RIGHT NOW!
NOW LOOK, PAL-- THERE'S SUCH A THING AS MAGIN' THE PUNISHMENT FIT THE CRIME! SEEMS LIKE WITH YOU EVERYTHING'S A CAPITAL OFFENSE!
LISTEN TO MR. BLEEDING HEART! YOU'RE NOT ONLY AN UGLY FREAK, YOU'RE STUPID! THESE SCUM DESERVE EVERYTHING THEY GET!
NOW GET OUTTA MY WAY-- I'VE GOT WORK TO DO!!!
BOMP

BUT, HEY-- IT'S BEEN REAL!
SWINE!

SO LONG SHORTY!
HONEST
CAR
HEE HEE HEE!
I-I CAN'T FOLLOW HIM-- I'LL BE SEEN!
BEEP BEEP
SKRE
ALL THOSE LIGHTS-- PEOPLE! LEO WOULD KILL ME IF I DIDN'T STICK TO THE SHADOWS!
BUT IF I DON'T FOLLOW-- THAT MANIAC WILL GET AWAY!
BUT IF I DO, I'LL ...I'LL...

AH, THE HELL WITH IT!

NO GUTS, NO GLORY!
BEEP BEEP
HONK

YA-HOO!
HEY!
SKREEEEEE!

WHAT WAS THAT!?
GOOD GOD! IT WAS ONE OF THOSE FLESHY HEADED MUTATIONS, SECRETLY PLANNING TO TAKE OVER THIS PLANET! I READ ABOUT IT IN BLAZE MAGAZINE! OR...

NOW WHERE DID THAT FOOL GET TO--?
...OR A MOB HIT MAN OR A...

I DON'T LIKE THIS...
WE'RE ON HIS TURF, NOW...
THAT'S RIGHT, BOY--
JUST A LITTLE CLOSER--
CLOSER!
ARR--!
SUR-PRISE!
THUD
DAMN!
I SHOULD HAVE HEARD THAT ONE COMING!
LUCKY SHOT, CASEY!
OH
GRRR!
GUESS MY LUCK IS HOLDING, CREEPO!

WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME?! I'VE BEEN HIT TWICE AND I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHERE HE IS! SPLINTER WOULD GIVE ME HELL FOR THIS...
UNGH!
CAUGHT YA DREAMING BOY, AN' I GOT YOU! BUT THAT'S MY JOB--
--GETTING RID OF VILE PUNS LIKE YOU!
EURRR--
BYE, BYE, FREAK! YAAH!
I'M... NOT DEAD ...YET...

...AND IT'LL TAKE MORE THAN YOU TO SHUT OUT MY LIGHTS!
WICK
--AN' HERE'S WHERE I START PROMIN' IT!
UMP!
WUMP
BOMP!
OW!
OOF!

WIZZ
UPM--!
CR-
ACK
THIS THING IS JUST TOO TOUGH-- IT WON'T FALL! I'VE GOTTA MAKE A RUN FOR IT WHILE IT'S STUNNED.. BUT, WE'LL MEET AGAIN!
CATCH YA ON THE FLIP SIDE, GREENIE!!!
NO WAY, YOU CRAZY FOOL--!

--YOU AREN'T GOING ANYWHERE EXCEPT DOWN FOR THE COUNT!
CRAK
BLAP
SMACK
:COUGH!: I CAN'T --UNH!-- BELIEVE IT!
OUU!-- --YOU-- UNGH!-- GIVE UP?--?
OW!
THUMP
WACK
BAM!
BAM!
BAM!
BAM!

BEATEN BY A... A LITTLE GREEN FREAK! I'VE :COUGH!: HAD ENOUGH!!
HEY, PAL-- YOU BROUGHT IT ON YOURSELF! YOU CAN'T GO AROUND KILLIN' PEOPLE FOR STEALIN' TAPE DECKS! THAT'S JUST-- CRAZY!

YEAH, RIGHT-- I'M CRAZY! BUT SOMETHIN' TELLS ME YOU AIN'T ABOUT TAKIN' SOMEBODY OUT IF THEY TICK YOU OFF--!

I HAVE A TEMPER, TRUE-- BUT AT LEAST I TRY TO CONTROL IT--
--YOU DON'T!

SHUT UP-- GIMME YOUR MONEY!
EH?
HELP!
SOUNDS LIKE A MUGGING.
--IN PROGRESS, HERO!-- YEONNA JUST STAND THERE!

I-- I DON'T KNOW--! I GUESS I CAN'T LET YOU GO SLAUGHTER THE PUNKS!

WELL, SHORTY-- DO WE HELP THE CITIZEN, OR WHAT?
ALRIGHT! ALRIGHT! BUT REMEMBER, WHILE WE'RE STOPPING THOSE MUGGERS-- I'M KEEPIN' ONE EYE ON YOU!!!
FAIR ENOUGH!

LET'S GET 'EM!
HELP! HELP ME PLEASE!
THE END